

## Midlands Men's Convention

Saturday 9th November at  
Cornerstone Church  
Nottingham.

Doors open at 9.30am.

Tickets can be booked at

[https://  
christianconventions.org.uk/  
mmc/convention](https://christianconventions.org.uk/mmc/convention) .



## Prayers

**For those who are ill:** Ev Nove; Pam Barber (friend of Joy Hall), Doreen Curl; Glan Evans; Laura (a friend of Joanna Saunders); Susan Slawson; Florence Owen; Frank Robinson; Joyce Winwood; Ann Capel; Deena Smith; Graham Newton; Jeremiah Kashoboorozi.

## Ministry Team Prayer Diary.

Please include these in your prayers this week.

James is leading assembly at William Gilbert School on Monday

Carys is on a block week at university

We are hosting a Church Society Council Meeting on Tuesday

James is attending a chapter meeting and a Ministers Fraternal Meeting on Wednesday.

Little Eaton School are having their Harvest Festival at St Paul's

*Everything you need for today's service will be on the screen. Service sheets, including large print, are available if you prefer.*

*Toilets are located in the hall next door. (At St Paul's please ask a welcomer for the key)*

**In the event of a fire - if you're at Duffield,** please exit the building either through the main door or via the door to the church hall (Link), then turn right into the graveyard. Fire Assembly Point is the War Memorial, by the gate.

**If you're at Little Eaton,** leave through the door you came in, unless instructed otherwise and assemble by the Lych Gate.

Please switch your hearing aid to the T setting for our **Induction Loop system.**



# The United Benefice of Duffield and Little Eaton

## Weekly News 6th October 2019

### Services on Sunday 6th October

8am	Communion	All Saints Chapel
10am	Morning Service	A Council in Jerusalem (Acts 15:1-35) <i>At St Alkmund's</i>
4.30pm	Communion	Fathers, Mothers Brothers (1 Thessalonians <i>At St Paul's</i> 2:1-16)
6.30pm	First Sunday Special	Meeting the real Jesus: Just a wise man from <i>At St Alkmund's</i> Galilee? (Mark 2:1-12)

### Next Sunday (13th October)

10am	Morning Service	To Macedonia (Acts 15:36-16:10) <i>At St Alkmund's</i>
4.30pm	Afternoon Service	Strength to Persevere (1 Thessalonians <i>At St Paul's</i> 2:17-3:5)
6.30pm	Communion	Blessings & Curses (Deuteronomy 27:1-28:14) <i>At St Alkmund's</i>

### For more information see:

[www.stalkmundsduffield.co.uk](http://www.stalkmundsduffield.co.uk) or [www.littleeatonchurch.co.uk](http://www.littleeatonchurch.co.uk)

Facebook: St Alkmund's Church Duffield or St Paul's Church Little Eaton

Twitter: @StAlksDuffield

Call the office on 01332 840536 (open Monday-Friday 9.30am-3pm)

Or email on [office@stalkmundsduffield.co.uk](mailto:office@stalkmundsduffield.co.uk)

**Parish Safeguarding Link.** If you have a safeguarding issue contact::

**St Alkmund's:** Gill & Paul Linford on 07486 560657 or email [safeguarding@stalkmundsduffield.co.uk](mailto:safeguarding@stalkmundsduffield.co.uk).

**St Paul's:** Lucy Bailey [safeguarding@littleeatonchurch.co.uk](mailto:safeguarding@littleeatonchurch.co.uk)

## Youth and Children's Work



**Babes & Bouncers:** Monday Mornings, 9.30am-11.15am. We'll be hearing all about how God saves his people, along with plenty of Toys and play time, crafts, songs and refreshments!

**Creche:** Available during the Morning services for 0-3 year olds.

**Sunday Club:** Meets in the hall - we're looking at the Old Testament this term from Creation.

**Sparks:** First Sundays of each month, we'll be learning some memory verses this year along with playing games, songs, crafts and café.

**Fuel:** 11-14's, We look over a passage of the bible whilst having breakfast.

**Salt Café:** Pizza, games and friendship before the first Sunday Special Service each month, 5.30pm.

**Youth Band:** Playing (usually) on the third Sunday of each month in the Evening Service.

**Impact & Ignition:** Monday and Tuesday Evenings. Our youth groups are spending the term in the Parables looking at what these well-loved stories of Jesus still have to teach us today.

**CU:** Tuesday lunch times at Ecclesbourne School, E Block.



**Explorers** runs every Sunday during our 4.30pm service for 3-11 year olds, starting in the service, then escorted to the hall for songs, Bible stories and craft activities. Children are brought back to the church at the end of the service.



**Creche** Babies and small children are welcome at our services—there is a supervised creche available during our afternoon services in the hall. Creche children leave and return with our Explorers.

If you would like to see **James Hughes**, the Vicar, about any pastoral or church matter, please contact him at home on 841867 or at the office on 840536. **David Barnsley** can be contacted at home on 585190, or on mobile 07759 827842.

## General Notices

### Songs of Praise

On the first Monday of every month (or thereabouts) at 2pm in the hall, we meet to sing traditional hymns, and hear a talk followed by tea, coffee and cakes. The next meeting will be Monday 7th October.

### Tea, Cake & Chat.

Our next meeting will be 14th October (not 3rd Monday as usual).

### Church Directory

For the new church directory, we would like to include pictures of people. Jeff Taplin will have the church camera at the end of the service, if you are happy to have your picture taken for the directory and have previously filled in a GDPR form, please do seek him out, or find Emma who can tell you whether you signed a GDPR form. **Pictures being taken today and next week!**

### Help for Babes & Bouncers

If anyone could help for half an hour from 11.15am, on Mondays to help pack away toys and crafts. Thank you.

### Open The Book

Will be doing morning assemblies at William Gilbert School on Wednesday 9th, 16th and 23rd October. Bringing Bible stories to the children through song and drama. Please pray for the people involved and that the message will get through to the children's hearts.

### Ladies' Christmas Craft Evening

Friday 29th November

Would you like to be a part of a fantastic opportunity to reach many women with the good news of Jesus this Christmas-time? Please let Kirsty know if you would like to help at our Christmas Craft Evening. And do be letting friends & family know.

**General Notices**

**Afternoon Service, help needed.**

Now our new service has been running for a few weeks do you feel able to help? We need people to set up and serve refreshments or do a bit of baking or greet people as they arrive. See the rota at the back of church to see if you could fill any of the gaps, then speak to Diane.

**Third Thursday**

Come along on the third Thursday of every month for tea, coffee, cake and company. In the church hall from 2pm. Our next meeting is on 24th October.

**David's changing role**

David is settling into a new pattern of a working week. He'll be usually working Monday and Wednesday daytimes at St Peter's, Stapenhill; and so, won't be available during those times.

**Men's Group**

Our men's group are having a games night on 18th October at 7.30pm. More details to follow.

**St Paul's Church clean-up**

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 10am-12 noon. Please come along and help spruce up the church ready for Winter. There will be coffee and cakes to reward your efforts!

**John Newton Webb**

John will be joining us for our afternoon service on 24th November. This is a great opportunity to find out more about what he and Sian are doing and how we can be supporting them.

**Ladies' Christmas Craft Evening**

Friday 29th November

Would you like to be a part of a fantastic opportunity to reach many women with the good news of Jesus this Christmas-time? Helen is looking to build a team to run our 12<sup>th</sup> Christmas Craft Evening. Please contact her for more info or to let her know if you are up for helping in any capacity.

**6th October 2019**

**St Alkmund's Duffield Morning Service 10am**

**Opening songs** May the Peoples Praise You  
He is With us

**Confession**

**Notices**

**Children's Talk & Song** My God is so Big

**Reading** Acts 15:1-35 (pg 1113, or 1023 in lg print bibles)

**Prayers**

**Reading** Amos 9:11-15 (pg 932 or 859 in lg print)

**Creed**

**Song** When I was Lost

**Sermon** "A Council in Jerusalem" *James Hughes*

**Song** In Christ Alone

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**St Paul's Little Eaton Communion Service 4.30pm**

**Songs** All My Days, O How Good It Is

**Confession**

**Prayers**

**Notices** (After this, the children leave for their groups)

**Reading** 1 Thessalonians 2:1-16 (pg 1186)

**Sermon** "Mothers, Fathers, Brothers" *James Hughes*

**Song** Beloved and Blessed

**Communion**

**Song** The Church's One Foundation

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**St Alkmund's Duffield First Sunday Special 6.30pm**

**Opening song:** Give Thanks to the Lord

**Confession & Prayers**

**Notices**

**Reading** Mark 2:1-12 (pg 837)

**Talk** "Meeting the Real Jesus: Just a Wise Man from Galilee?"  
*James Hughes*

**Song** How Deep the Father's Love

**Coffee & Questions**



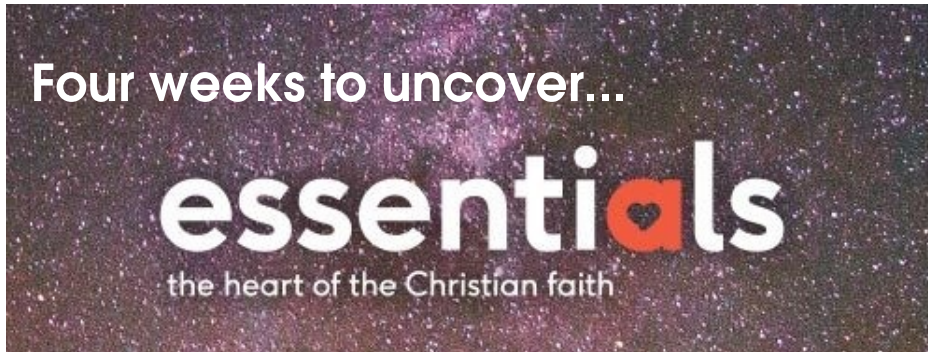
St Alkmund's



St Paul's



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Continues Thursday 10th Oct, 7.30pm at Little Eaton Church Hall.

An informal course, with a discussion, a short 10 min video, and looking at a bible passage. We won't ask you to pray, sing, or read out loud. All are welcome to come along.

Please contact David Barnsley for more details: vicar@littleeatonchurch.co.uk



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ST MARY'S CHURCH CHADDESSEN

# Biblical Parenting

Saturday 12th and 19th October 2019

9.30am-12.30pm @ St Alkmund's Church Hall, Duffield

Join us as we explore what the bible tells us about parenting, and as we work out how to do it in today's world. There will be plenty of time for discussion, and for sharing with those at a similar stage of life.

Activities for children and young people will be provided during the morning.

To sign up, contact the church office at Duffield: office@stalkmundsduffield.co.uk

<b>Mon 7th Oct</b>		<b>Office Closed</b>
	9.30am	Babes & Bouncers
	2pm	Songs of Praise <b>at Duffield</b>
	7pm	Impact
<b>Tues 8th Oct</b>	9.15am	Morning Prayer
	7.30pm	Ignition
	8pm	Men's 5 a-side at Ecclesbourne
<b>Wed 9th Oct</b>		<b>Office Closed</b>
	10am	Ladies Bible Study <b>at Duffield</b>
		Growth Groups <b>in Duffield</b>
<b>Thurs 10th Oct</b>	7.30pm	Essentials Course
	7.30pm	Growth Groups <b>in Little Eaton</b>
<b>Sat 12th Oct</b>	9.30am	Parenting Course
<b>Mon 14th Oct</b>	9.30am	Babes & Bouncers
	2pm	Tea, Cake & Chat
	7pm	Impact
<b>Tues 15th Oct</b>	9.15am	Morning Prayer
	9.45am	Growth Group <b>with Helen Barnsley</b>
	7.30pm	Ignition
	8pm	Men's 5 a-side at Ecclesbourne
<b>Wed 16th Oct</b>	7.45pm	Men's Group <b>at Duffield</b>
<b>Thurs 17th Oct</b>	2pm	Third Thursday
<b>Fri 18th Oct</b>	7.30pm	Men's Group Games Night <b>at Little Eaton</b>
<b>Sat 19th Oct</b>	9.30am	Parenting Course

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